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RE CASE [redacted] RPT [redacted] AND [redacted] RPT [redacted] IN THE PAST SEVERAL MONTHS THE IMPORTANCE FOR UNCONVENTIONAL WARFARE OF LSD-25 AND SCORES OF OTHER PSYCHOGENIC AGENTS HAS BECOME MORE APPARENT. WE HAVE PRACTICALLY NO ACTUAL KNOWLEDGE OF WHAT THE USSR IS DOING WITH SUCH AGENTS BUT THERE IS CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE THAT IT IS FAR ADVANCED IN KNOWLEDGE OF THEIR USES. THE US IS NOT FAR ADVANCED AND IS CONSIDERABLY HAMPERED IN ITS PROGRESS BY ITS INABILITY TO MAKE HUMAN TESTS. IT IS THEREFORE NECESSARY THAT ALL FIELD OFFICES BE REOPENED ON THE CHANCE THAT RESEARCHERS IN PSYCHOGENIC AGENTS IN THEIR AREAS, PARTICULARLY IN LSD 25, WILL EVENTUALLY COME TO THEIR ATTENTION. SUCH PERSONS WILL MOST PROBABLY BE FOUND IN BIOCHEMISTRY DEPARTMENTS OF UNIVERSITIES, MENTAL HOSPITALS, PROVATE PSYCHIATRIC PRACTICE. WE DO NOT ASK THAT YOU SEARCH THEM OUT. WE DO ASK THAT YOU REMEMBER THEIR IMPORTANCE TO US AND REPORT THEIR WORK WHEN IT COMES TO YOUR ATTENTION.

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